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Re: OBJECT ORIENTED ADN AND METHOD OF CONVERTING A NON-OBJECT
ORIENTED COMPUTER LANGUAGE TO AN OBJECT ORIENTED COMPUTER
LANGUAGE
Inventors: Douglas M. Neuse and Daniel M. Braddock, Jr.
Attorney Docket No.: 013880.0063

Dear Sir:

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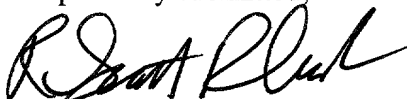
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| First Named Inventor | Neuse, et al |
| Title | Object Oriented ADN and Method of Converting a Non-Object . . . |
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